

## Koch, Kristine

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**From:** Koch, Kristine  
**Sent:** Friday, July 11, 2014 8:18 AM  
**To:** URBANOWICZ Karla  
**Cc:** Hayslip, Gretchen  
**Subject:** RE: Portland Harbor STORET data question

GSW-01 is a surface water sample. It was collected by NW Natural for the Gasco site.

SED01 is a sediment sample.

I don't know the SPMD01 sample. It is possible that it was collected for an early action. It is not part of the RI or FS databases. SPMD has only been collected for a few sites, but was not part of the data collected by the LWG.

LW2-W001 is a surface water sample

I cannot find AP-02-A-TR, LWP-AP04B, WLCGSJ06GS04 in the Portland Harbor database.

Others you can contact are Sean Sheldrake, but he is out of the office until July 18, or the Lower Willamette Group.

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**To:**  
Koch, Kristine Remedial Project Man ... 206-553-6705

Hi Kristine –

We are hoping to get some information this week, as we will be making final cuts on sampling results that we will exclude from our assessment of surface water for Oregon's 303(d) listing review.

To follow-up to Peter's email, some examples of the sample descriptions that raise questions:

GSW-01  
SED01  
SPMD01

All these samples seem to be typed as surface water in STORET, but if you could provide a key to the sample description naming protocols, that would be very helpful to sort out the ones that may be incorrect in STORET. Attached is a spreadsheet with the Stations and descriptions.

If there is a better contact for this info, please let us know.

Thank you,

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**From:** BRYANT Peter  
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**Subject:** FW: Portland Harbor STORET data question

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**From:** BRYANT Peter  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 24, 2014 12:40 PM  
**To:** 'koch.kristine@epa.gov'  
**Subject:** Portland Harbor STORET data question

Hi Kristine,

I got your e-mail from Gretchen Hayslip. She said you might be able to help answer some questions I have about data we retrieved from STORET in the Portland Harbor. I am working on the Toxics analysis for 303(d) list and Integrated Reporting purposes, as such I am interested in water quality samples representative of surface waters in Oregon, not sediment or groundwater. I chose surface water as a filter when downloading the data but noticed that some groundwater samples had made it through as indicated in a different field. I was wondering if there is a logic behind the site names that might help decipher if the samples truly are from surface water. Some examples I have in the dataset are LW2-W001, AP-02-A-TR, LWP-AP04B, WLCGSJ06GS04. If you would prefer I could send you a comprehensive list of all the stations returned in the query that we would potentially be using data from. Also, if it would be easier to talk this out over the phone feel free to give me a call.

Thanks for your input,

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